

Glossary of Abbreviations

ABBREVIATION

DEFINITION

AFSC	Air Force Specialty Code
ALK PHOS	Alkaline Phosphatase
AMD	Aerospace Medical Division, Brooks AFB, Texas. - supervises all medical research activities within the Air Force Systems Command
AV-GAS	Leaded Aviation Fuel (Reciprocating Engine)
BUN	Blood Urea Nitrogen
C-7	USAF Cargo Aircraft, 2 engine, Propeller, Reciprocating
C-123	USAF Cargo Aircraft, 2 engine, Propeller, Reciprocating
C-130	USAF Cargo Aircraft, 4 engines, Turbo-Propeller
CBC	Complete Blood Count
CPK	Creatine Phosphokinase
CSF	Cerebrospinal Fluid
Det 1 AMD	Onsite physical examination contract monitor
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid
DOD	Department of Defense
2,4-D	2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid
ECG	Electrocardiogram
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
FBS	Fasting Blood Sugar
FSH	Follicle Stimulating Hormone
G.I.	Gastrointestinal
GAO	General Accounting Office
GGTP	Glutaryl-glutamic Transpeptidase
HDL	High Density Lipid
Herbicide Orange	Mixture of 2,4-D and 2,4,5-T contaminated with TCDD
Herbicide Pink Purple Green	} Other 2,4,5-T/TCDD-containing herbicides
JP-4	
LDH	
LD50	Jet Fuel
LH	Lactose Dehydrogenase
NCI	(Median) Lethal Dose for 50% of Tested Animals
MMPI	Luteinizing Hormone
PACER HO	National Cancer Institute
PACER IVY	Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory
RANCH HAND	Code Name for the Herbicide Incineration Project
	Code Name for the Movement and Storage of Herbicides at Johnston Island
	USAF Organizational Code Name for the Defoliation Operations in Vietnam

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RBC	Red Blood Cell
RIA	Radio-immuno Assay
RVN	Republic of Vietnam
SEA	Southeast Asia
SGOT	Serum Glutamic Oxaloacetic Transaminase
SGPT	Serum Glutamic Pyruvic Transaminase
SMR	Standardized Mortality Ratio
SSS	Sensation Seeking Scale
SYSTO	Systems Officer
TCDD	2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin
TDY	Temporary Duty
TLV	Threshold Limit Value
2,4,5-T	2,4,5-trichlorophenoxyacetic acid
USAF	United States Air Force
USAFSAM	United States Air Force School of Aerospace Medicine
USSR	Union of Soviet Socialist Republics
VA	Veterans Administration
VDRL/FTA	Serological Tests for Syphilis
WAIS	Wechsler Adult Intelligence Scale
WRAT	Wide Range Achievement Test